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RE: EASTERN DIVERSIFIED METALS SITE HOMETOWN, SCHUYLKILL COUNTY, PA LETTER DATED AUGUST 26, 1986

GENTLEMEN:

We wish to comply with the request as stated in above letter that we submit to you all documentation and information, in our possession, concerning business dealings, if any, we might have had with Eastern Diversified Metals, Diversified Industries or Theodore Sall, Inc.

To accomplish this we have had a group of six people research all of our current records. We have been unsuccessful and have found no documentation that indicates any previous business relationship with these companies. We have also inquired of employees who have been here many years (some with as much as 35 years service) and who were in position to know if we had any previous business dealings with above mentioned organizations. No one we spoke to can remember these companies having done business with us.

In view of all of our efforts and the absence of any indication that we have ever had business dealings with these companies, we have reached the conclusion that we have never had business dealings with them.

Sincerely,

Richard L. Weiser

Manufacturing Engineer

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